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The following report is forwarded for your information and retention:

AFSA-412B2-1550.2, "Recognition of All Machine Variables From Two Messages 1000 Characters in Length on Telecrypto With One Cylinder Offset Between the Messages".

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RECONSTRUCTION OF ALL MACHINE VARIABLES FROM TWO MESSAGES, 1000 CHARACTERS IN LENGTH ON TELECRYPTO WITH ONE CYLINDER OFFSET BETWEEN THE MESSAGES

I. Summary

1. References:

- a. Letter from B. Hagelin to Mr. W. F. Friedman, dated 21 May 51.
- b. AFSA-412B Memorandum, "Brief Security Estimate of Teleorypto", dated 15 June 51.
 - c. AFSA-412B2-1550.1.
- 2. Purpose: To reconstruct all machine variables.
- 3. Given:
- a. Two messages, 1000 characters in length enciphered on Telecrypto. Settings of all variables are the same for both messages, except for the setting of one cylinder.
- b. Knowledge of the machine, including the location of the fixed stepping teeth on the drum.

4. Results:

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- a. The two messages are read and key recovered.
- b. All machine variables are reconstructed.

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